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Army

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MEMORANDUM FOR THE DIRECTOR OF CENTRAL INTELLIGENCE

SUBJECT: Request of General Willoughby for CIA Publications

1. Attached hereto is a copy of memorandum dated 8 June 1950 from General Willoughby to ACoFS, G-2, requesting copies of all CIA publications pertaining to the Far East and adjacent areas, together with copy of 1st Indorsement from ACoFS, G-2, to General Willoughby and copy of memo for record.
2. This request was transmitted to ORE through the OOD liaison officer who has discussed it with a Major Brann of G-2. It was agreed that no reproduction would be undertaken by CIA, and only those publications of which copies were available would be considered.
3. Attached hereto is also a hand-written list of titles of all publications considered pertinent to General Willoughby's request. It is considered that only the IM series may present any problem as, of course, any dissemination of IM's is subject to the specific approval of the DCI. On the list of IM titles attached, the red check marks indicate those titles which have not previously been made available to Army. It is not believed advisable therefore to forward copies of these IM's for dispatch to General Willoughby.
4. It should perhaps be noted that General Willoughby did not request any IM's as such, but as Army has received a number of them, the omission might be queried if none were forwarded for General Willoughby.
5. This Office sees no objection to forwarding for General Willoughby available copies of the IM's which have already been disseminated to Army. The other CIA publications can be made available in such copies as we have on file.
6. It is assumed that in the case of future IM's, approval or disapproval for dissemination to General Willoughby will be given individually as each IM is published.

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